



SAFETY OF LIFE AND CARGO AT SEA

Hazcheck News - Issue 32

Hello

Welcome to Issue 32 of Hazcheck News.

We hope that you are staying safe and well.

This issue of the newsletter includes some sponsorship news and product updates.

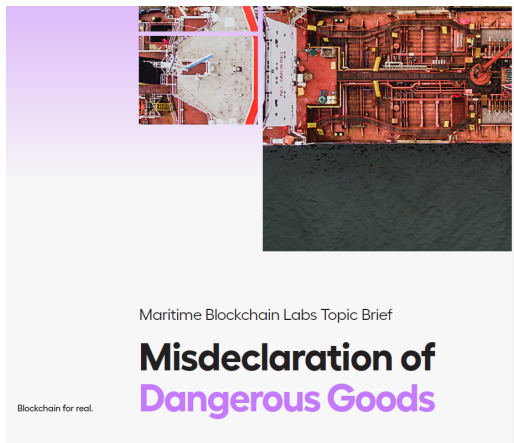
We are also pleased to announce that we have recently launched a new help desk ticketing system to further enhance our customer support communications. The system will allow us to respond to support enquiries more efficiently.

We hope you enjoy reading the newsletter!

Exis takes part in misdeclaration of dangerous goods blockchain project

In 2018, Bloc, with the support of Lloyd's Register Foundation, launched the Maritime Blockchain Labs (MBL) initiative to investigate and assess the applicability of blockchain technology for addressing business challenges, and in particular safety in the maritime sector. The objective was to increase the likelihood of creating impactful and scalable technology for the maritime sector focussing on the safety of engineered systems.

One of the Blockchain labs focused on the issue of misdeclaration of dangerous goods and Exis Technologies was a consortium member.



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Sponsorship of RPMASA 20th Anniversary Webinar, South Africa



Exis sponsored the **Responsible Packing Management Association of South Africa's (RPMASA)** 20th Anniversary Webinar which was held on 27 May 2021. The RPMASA is the only industry organisation from Africa with a seat on the UN Committee of Experts for Transport of Dangerous Goods and the UN GHS - Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals. RPMASA is a regional representative for Exis Technologies in South Africa.

Exis sponsored the webinar with 2 complimentary IMDG Code e-learning courses. The winners of the **Dangerous Goods Transport General Awareness** courses were ***Zuki Sapepa*** from Road Traffic Management Corporation (RTMC), South Africa and ***Dennis Witham***, a Safety Officer in South Africa.

After taking the course Dennis commented, "It really is a brilliant little course on the fundamentals of dangerous goods packaging. It gives an overview of all the legislative bodies concerned with DG transport (Air, Road, Rail and Sea) and for me as a Safety Officer, it is ideal. I would highly recommend this course for all safety officers who are not specifically involved in the chemical or DG industry, but who touch DG intermittently in the course of their duties. For anyone who will be or wants to be involved in transportation of H&DG, this is the ideal place to start."

Exis offers a full range of IMDG Code e-learning Amendment 40-20 courses for shore side staff.

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Spanish and French IMDG Code Amendment 40-20 e-readers now available!

The Spanish and French versions of the **IMDG Code Amendment 40-20 e-reader** (as well as the English version) are now available to buy from our website.

The French and Spanish versions of the **IMDG Code Amendment 40-20 books** will be available in August 2021 and can be pre-ordered.



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IMO Digital publications update

Exis is an authorised reseller of digital IMO publications. The International Maritime Organization has been updating several of its publications.

IMO Vega database Version 25 developed jointly by IMO and DNV GL AS, includes up-to-date texts of core IMO requirements (including IMDG Code, SOLAS, MARPOL and IAMSAR manuals) as well as pollution prevention and safety-related documents in English. Version 25 includes amendments adopted by MEPC 75 and MSC 102, both held virtually in November 2020.

The **SOLAS Consolidated Edition 2020 e-reader** in English, French and Spanish have also been updated. SOLAS is an essential reference for maritime administrations, ship manufacturers, owners and operators, shipping companies, education institutes and all others concerned with the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS). This IMO digital publication (e-reader) is in EBK format for use on a single computer/laptop with IMO's Windows-based e-reader software, the IMO Bookshelf.

Alternatively, you may be interested in **SOLAS on the Web**, a yearly online subscription to the SOLAS Convention and SOLAS Amendments, which has also been revised with 2020 updates.

We also sell Marpol on the Web, the IAMSAR Manual and the IMSBC Code 2020 Edition e-reader.

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